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TO: Susan C. Linner, Permit Supervisor  
FROM: Lynn Kunzler, Reclamation Biologist *ly*  
RE: Rio Algon Corporation, Lisbon Mine, ACT/037/001, San Juan  
County, Utah

As requested, I have reviewed the files for the above referenced mine. For your information, I am providing a list of concerns that I noted should the company decide to reclai the mine and mill.

1. While the bond (escrow agreement) is current (excess of \$25,000 for the mine and ca. \$723,750 for the mill as confirmed Decemer 16, 1986 by Connie Eikers, Trust Dept, First Security Corp.), the amount is short of the \$3,064,312 inflated bond estimate. (904,900 in 1976 dollars),
2. The reclamation plan should be reviewed in light of current technology and NRC requirements,
3. In January 1986, the entire "A" Team visited this operation. Since they are familiar with the site, this should be asigned to them.

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